

ADDENDUM to *East Duwamish Greenbelt* CPTED Report:

Site Survey: I revisited the portion of the greenbelt between the south edge of the off-leash dog area, up to Judkins street end, and west uphill to the rim of the greenbelt in Rizal Park.

There has been a lot of work on invasive removal, and a greater sense of natural surveillance has been achieved. A neighborhood group is advocating for the development of a multi-use trail from the Judkins street end through the greenbelt area. This would promote a variety of user groups, and would emphasize some already well-established boundaries here between the residential use, the dog area, and the park edge.

There are some strong assets present now:

- Off-leash dog area makes an *excellent* attempt at doing good **Access Control** by limiting access to a single point. This is very good because people who climb over the area's south end gate or north end fences are obviously not positive users in this park. If access control were more fluid, (i.e. open on both ends) there would be far higher "cut-through" traffic from people who use the area for drug trafficking, use, and prostitution.
- The removal of invasives such as ivy and wild clematis on trees, non-indigenous invasive trees like holly, etc. not only improves the health of the existing canopy, it creates a clear view up to the east west edge of Rizal park, (the uphill east edge of the greenbelt). This makes the area safer for people to walk through, and sets the stage for establishing a positive use pattern in the area.

Further CPTED recommendations:

Capitalize on the work done by both C.O.L.A. (off-leash area) volunteers, and invasive species removal volunteers by establishing a use for the area south of the off-leash park that will bring a variety of people in.

(Apparently a hiking/bicycle trail is being proposed—which would satisfy the "multiple user" approach to reclaiming this area, especially if it had a solid "anchor" community at either end of the trail.)

